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In re Appln. of: Gary Como et al.

Serial No.: 09/710,154

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For: METHOD AND SYSTEM FOR
BUSINESS PLANNING VIA A
COMMUNICATIONS NETWORK

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Sir:

Attached is/are:

- ☒ Transmittal Letter (in Duplicate); Appeal Brief (original and one copy); and Notice of Appeal.
- ☒ Return Receipt Postcard

Fee calculation:

- ☐ No additional fee is required.
- ☐ Small Entity.
- ☐ An extension fee in an amount of \$_____ for a _____-month extension of time under 37 C.F.R. § 1.136(a).
- ☐ A petition or processing fee in an amount of \$_____ under 37 C.F.R. § 1.17(_____).
- ☐ An additional filing fee has been calculated as shown below:

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- ☐ A check in the amount of _____ is enclosed.
- ☐ Please charge Deposit Account No. 23-1925 in the amount of \$_____ . A copy of this Transmittal is enclosed for this purpose.
- ☒ Two payments fee of \$500 were previously filed with Applicants' Notice of Appeal and Appeal Brief filed on March 25, 2005. Since an Office Action was mailed in response to the March 25, 2005 Notice of Appeal, the March 25, 2005 fee payments can be applied to the fees due for the present Notice of Appeal and Appeal Brief.
- ☒ The Director is hereby authorized to charge payment of any additional filing fees required under 37 CFR § 1.16 and any patent application processing fees under 37 CFR § 1.17 associated with this paper (including any extension fee required to ensure that this paper is timely filed), or to credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account No. 23-1925.

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Respectfully submitted,

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